

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of setting up a communication session in at least one wireless communications networks, the method comprising:

transmitting a request for a communication channel setup ~~between from~~ a user equipment ~~and to~~ a first network element in a first network; and wherein

the request indicating ~~indicates~~ to the first network element that radio resource allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been successfully established.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, comprising the steps of:

~~forwarding~~ transmitting the ~~said indication~~ request to a second network element in a radio access

network;

~~receiving the said indication in the second network element in the radio access network; and~~

in response to receiving ~~said indication~~ the request, the ~~said~~ second network element ~~refraining to allocate~~ refrains from allocating radio resources for the communication channel;

3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 4 ~~or~~ 2 comprising the steps of:

setting up the communication channel between the user equipment and the first network element without radio resources setting up a communication session between the user equipment and a third network element in ~~a~~ the second network; and

allocating radio resources for the communication channel when the communication session has been successfully established.

4. (Canceled)

5. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, ~~comprising a step of~~ indicating wherein the request is to a fourth network element in the first network that radio resources are not allocated for the communication channel before a communication session has been successfully established.

6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the first network is a core network

7. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~13~~, wherein the second network is an IMS network.

8. (Original) A method of claim 1, wherein the first network element is a SGSN

9. (Currently Amended) A method of claim ~~42~~, wherein the second network element is a RNC.

10. (Currently Amended) A method of claim ~~43~~, wherein the third network element is a CSCF.

11. (Currently Amended) A method of claim ~~45~~, wherein the fourth network element is a GGSN.

12. (Currently Amended) A method of setting up a communication session in a wireless communications network, the method comprising:

~~determining by a user equipment~~ determining with a user equipment to set up a communication session with multiple components;

setting up a communication channel for each ~~one of the~~ multiple components between the user equipment and a first network element; and

setting up a communication session between the user equipment and a second network element.

13. (New) A method in accordance with claim 1, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

14. (New) A method in accordance with claim 2, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

15. (New) A method in accordance with claim 3, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

16. (New) A method in accordance with claim 4, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

17. (New) A method in accordance with claim 5, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

18. (New) A method in accordance with claim 6, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

19. (New) A method in accordance with claim 7, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

20. (New) A method in accordance with claim 8, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

21. (New) A method in accordance with claim 9, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

22. (New) A method in accordance with claim 10, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.

23. (New) A method in accordance with claim 11, wherein:
the request contains a flag which indicates to the first network element that radio allocation is to be prevented for the communication channel before a communication session has been established.